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## TROOPER CODY B. HARSTAD RECEIVES ASSIGNMENT

Colonel Mark Nelson, superintendent of the North Dakota Highway Patrol, announces that Trooper Cody B. Harstad graduated from the Highway Patrol Academy on February 12, 2009. Trooper Harstad has been assigned to the Highway Patrol's Northeast Region and will be stationed at Cavalier. He has completed 25 weeks of academic training at the North Dakota Highway Patrol Academy in Bismarck and will be completing eight weeks of field training in the Cavalier area beginning February 16, 2009.

Trooper Harstad graduated from Concordia College in Moorhead, MN, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology.

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